

JUST GLEANINGS

F.D.R.'S SON ENTERS MOVIES

HOLLYWOOD—James Roosevelt, eldest son of the president, announced this week he had entered the motion picture industry as vice-president of Samuel Goldwyn, Incorporated. Exact nature of his work and the salary were not disclosed.

BRITAIN STORES GOLD, CANADA

LONDON—The British government reported strengthening its North American gold reserves by shipping large quantities of the metal for storage in the vaults of the Bank of Canada. The step was said to have been taken to provide for purchase of war materials in Canada and United States in event of European war, when shipment of gold across the Atlantic would be dangerous.

PLAN \$300,000 PLANE FACTORY

VANCOUVER—Alderman H.D. Wilson reports that a \$300,000 airplane manufacturing plant will be built at Sea Island airport near Spring by the Boeing Aircraft of Canada Ltd., if the negotiations between the city and company are successfully concluded.

The plant would employ about 600 men and women and would be engaged in production of fighting planes for the British government, the report stated.

CANADA HAS 22 SPECIES OF WILD DUCKS

Wild ducks are always a timely topic of conversation and sportsmen and other outdoor life devotees may be interested to know that at least 22 species occur in Canada. Although some parts of Canada offer several kinds of ducks to the hunters, not all the species are common across the Dominion. For instance, the black duck is restricted to the eastern half of Canada, while the most important mallard areas are from the eastern boundary of Ontario westward to the Pacific coast. Some varieties common in one part are extremely rare or entirely absent in other regions.

Ornithologists and conservationists have by observation and study mapped out the breeding and wintering grounds for practically every species of wild duck. Of late years the placing of numbered metal bands on thousands of wild waterfowl has resulted in accumulation of scientific data through which the distribution of wild ducks over the continent may be accurately determined. This bird-banding scheme, a co-operative investigation being conducted by the Canadian and United States governments, has not only yielded information on the dispersal of wild birds and on their migration routes, but many other important problems relative to the general life of waterfowl of all kinds of wild birds have been studied by the banding method.

As we go to press Wednesday afternoon, cloudy skies and a light snow. The temperature is high and the weather mild.

There is only 16 more days until Christmas. Have you done your shopping yet? Local stores have large stocks of seasonal merchandise at reasonable prices. Buy in Carbon!

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FIRST AID INSTRUCTION TO BE RESUMED HERE AT AN EARLY DATE

May Form Ladies' Class, if Interest is Sufficient

John McAndrews, general superintendent of Mine Rescue work in Alberta, with headquarters at Calgary, was in Carbon last Thursday to organize a first aid class in Carbon for the winter months and fourteen men were present at the meeting. Mr. McAndrews demonstrated the use of the H.V. insulator—rescue apparatus used to revive persons overcome with gas, smoke, drowning, etc.—and showed the boys one of the new gas masks for entering a gas-laden mine shaft.

The meeting was for the purpose of finding out if there were sufficient interested people to form a Carbon class and after the splendid turnout arrangements were made for a meeting on Friday, December 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Carbon school, when officers will be elected and the meeting dates set.

Anyone interested in attending the first aid classes this winter is asked to attend the meeting. Instruction is free and the benefits are many.

May Form Women's Class

Some of the women in Carbon are interested in the formation of a class and Mr. McAndrews has stated that this can be arranged if here are sufficient women interested. Frank Emery has information on this matter direct from Mr. McAndrews and he will be glad to pass it along to anyone interested.

C.H. Nash, H.M. McNaughton, G. Coleman, W.A. Brainer, R. Fraser, G. Appleby and Ross Thorburn attended the Drumheller Old Times Association in the Elks club, Drumheller, on Thursday, Dec. 1st.

LONG YEARS AGO

December 8, 1927

The government thermometer registered 42 below zero on Tuesday night.

Mrs. J.J. Greenan and S. Carney left Saturday morning for the east.

The curling ice is now practically ready with the exception of the rings. It is expected that curling will commence about the end of the week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. Conto on Wednesday, December 7, a daughter.

SCHOOL REPORT—Grade 1
F. Florence Moss, E. Fox, J. Rogers, E. Miller, L. Leitch, C. Tremblay, R. Poxon, J. Heath, H. Wise, J. Skerry, Z. Fairbairn, E. McKay, J. Kelly, H. Hilde, M. Moore, H. Fraser, J. Gaudie, G. McGregor, E. Kaehn, B. Rogers, A. Lemay, L. Trepanier.

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CARBON SIX WIN HOCKEY GAME FROM HESKETH BOYS

Playing at the Hesketh rink on Sunday afternoon a few of the Carbon hockey enthusiasts rallied to win from Hesketh by an 18-6 score. Carbon had six players, as follows: V. Harney, B. Cameron, R. Gabelhouse, J. Mathers, N. Nash and Francis Poxon.

In spite of the fact that water has been hauled over a mile, the Hesketh rink has a fair coat of ice and daily floods are being made.

THE WHEAT SITUATION OUTLINED

Argentina can now be marked down as having produced a remarkably fine crop this year. In fact, total wheat production may crowd the 800 million bushel mark, which is 79 million bushels above the five-year average.

Australia's crop is now estimated at 140 million, so that the southern hemisphere may now reach a total wheat production this year of 440 million bushels. This total exceeds the last estimate of the United States department of agriculture by 50 million bushels and the world crop figures stand at 4,414 million. The decline in the Canadian production of 10 million bushels is estimated to be a substantial increase in the estimate of world production.

The United States winter wheat acreage is estimated to be around 47 million, or ten million less than some years ago. The Argentine government is paying the farmers here a bushel for their wheat in the current year.

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SURPRISE BIRTHDAY TEA FOR MRS. ROSS THORBUEN

A surprise birthday tea was held on Wednesday, November 29, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thorburn, the occasion being Mrs. Thorburn's 58th birthday.

Mrs. Claude Cressman was the winner of the contest and a dainty lunch was served.

The invited guests were: Mrs. M.J. Elliott, Mrs. Claude Cressman, Mrs. J. Atkinson, Mrs. Alex Reid, Mrs. M. McArthur, Mrs. Ross Fraser, Mrs. Boehlig, Mrs. J.J. Garrett, Mrs. Leitch, Mrs. Carl Moorhouse, Mrs. Tom Barber, Mrs. Bob Barber, Mrs. M. and Mrs. Cudman and Miss Ellen Barber.

CANADIAN FRUIT & VEGETABLES MAKE GRAND SUPPER DISH

The first snow flurries have come, and the winter is stocked for the winter months. Of course, in these days of quick and efficient transportation, it isn't necessary to hoard a whole winter's supply at once, but the wise household keeps a reserve of good things for days when the snow blankets the ground with white, and the family come rubbing kitchenware and the keen appetites.

A simple, nourishing meal-in-a-dish dinner, that is decidedly different is this—

CANADIAN WINTER SPECIAL

1½ cups dry beans
2 cups milk
1 small onion
1 small onion

1 cup dried corn, or one can of pink corn
1 small onion
1 small onion

Pick over the beans, wash thoroughly, drain and cover with water and parboil with the sliced onion. When almost soft add the corn and black. Cook until the fish is done. Flake the fish through the vegetable, add the onion and butter. Season if necessary, depending on fish used. (Do not boil the fish, but simmer.)

Cash some soda biscuits with the rolling pin, and put some in each soup plate or bowl. Then pour the soup on top and serve immediately.

Sweet pickled onions and a salad of shredded cabbage and finely chopped mild turnip, tossed in mayonnaise, make a nice accompaniment for the meal-in-a-dish dinner. The turnip, surprisingly enough adds a nutty flavor to the salad. Slices of lean corned beef may be added for color and the vitamin value.

For Canadian households a hearty fish-chowder—canned or homemade—is a standby for Sunday evening, because so little preparation is necessary. For instance, the beans for the Canadian Winter special can be put to soak the night before and the whole thing combined and cooked in a heat. Try this week and see if you don't agree.

HIGHWAY CURLING LEAGUE FORMED AT TROCHU INCLUDES CARBON

NEW METHOD OF PLAY DOWN IN CONSOLS CUP MATCH

A new method of play down for the British Consols Trophy Competition (Province of Alberta Curling Championships) will be in force this season. The play downs will take in various districts and the finals during the annual Calgary Bousquet, instead of attempting to turn everything off at once, as has been done in the past.

Form Highway Curling League

Recently a meeting was held in Trochu at which the Highway No. 21 Curling Club was formed, which includes clubs from Carbon, Acme, Trochu, Swallow, Three Hills, Elmore and Delburne. At this meeting Mr. Smith of Trochu was elected president; W.K. Webb of Three Hills, vice-president; and Mr. Spill of Trochu, secretary.

The district playdowns will be held at some central points, not yet decided, and the winners will compete in Calgary.

All clubs participating must be affiliated with the Alberta branch of the Royal Canadian Curling Club, and all curlers must be bona fide members of an affiliated club—Three Hills Curling Club.

LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Moorhouse and family spent Sunday visiting with friends in the Elks club.

Don't forget the Old Times Assn's meeting in Carbon on Saturday, Dec. 10th.

Miss Alice Jackson was a Carbon visitor on Tuesday, on her way from Drumheller to Calgary.

Sam Poxon left Wednesday for Drumheller where he will attend the youth training school.

Mrs. J.J. Oliphant returned Monday after spending the week end in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Poxon, Lawrence Poxon and Mrs. Len Thorburn of Drumheller attended the Masonic social evening in Carbon on Tuesday.

A special meeting of the A.Y.P.A. will be held on Wednesday, December 14th, at 8 p.m. Mr. Harding of Calgary will be the speaker. All members are requested to attend.

THE WORLD OF WHEAT REVIEWED WEEKLY BY MAJOR H.G.L. STRANGE

"I guess I won't buy any Thatcher, Remond or Apex just yet, said a farmer friend the other day. "I'll wait and get some of these new varieties in 1939 and 1940. I hear they will be better."

Many farmers in the rust areas are thinking this way.

The government has announced that two new rust-resistant varieties—No. 975 and No. 1097—which have been produced by the Rust Research Laboratory, Winnipeg, are now being tested in Great Britain for milling and baking quality.

No doubt if either or both of these should prove superior to the existing rust-resistant sorts then they will be available to each farmer.

Under these circumstances I advised my friend to secure as early as possible a sufficient of the rust-resistant varieties that are now available, that is either Thatcher, Remond or Apex and to apply to the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa for a small quantity of the new varieties; then to sow the new variety, either 975 or 1097, next spring on a small piece of new clean summerfallow.

Following factors have tended to raise prices: Russia still badly needed in India, China purchasing American wheat. Foulous crop attack and the amount of a year ago. Insufficient moisture with prospects below average. The new variety, Switzerland buys the new variety. Frost damage Argentine grapes. Subnormal German apple crop.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Argentine crop prospects still highly satisfactory. Germany has to have one of great grain harvests in history. Winter wheat acreage in Canada increased or maintained in the Balkans. British buyers indifferent to American wheat. Large arrivals of Italian corn at shipping points.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EDITION

Once again Christmas is near and local stores are carrying an extra large stock of excellent articles suitable for Christmas gifts.

To acquire the people with the quality of stock available on the shelves of these local stores is a large task, and in order to give as wide publicity as possible The Carbon Chronicle will issue a special shopping edition on December 15th.

Advertisers planning to take advertising space must have their copy in not later than Monday, December 12.

DOMINION CUTS OFF ALL ALBERTA RURAL RELIEF

The federal government will not supply relief to Alberta drought areas this winter, it was announced by Hon. W.W. Cross, provincial minister of health, in charge of relief.

Mr. Cross said he had been notified by Hon. J.G. Gardiner, Dominion minister of agriculture, that the government of his undertaking (drought area) relief operations in Alberta this year.

The province maintains that there are at least 36 municipalities where the cash returns are less than five bushels per acre of No. 1 wheat, or its equivalent.

Some of the areas are located in the southern part of the province, in the section east of Bonnyville, and in the Peace River district. The Dominion, on the other hand, maintain that apparently the province has had a good crop and that there should be no difficulty in taking care of needs in rural centers.

A.Y.P.A. MEETING

A regular meeting of the A.Y.P.A. will be held on Tuesday evening following the service of the Anglican Diocese, 7 p.m.

Many meetings, and 21 members were present. Rev. Canon Griffiths of Drumheller was the guest speaker.

In the contest, Rev. and Mrs. Evans were the prize winners, and lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

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MEN'S ELGIN POCKET WATCH — \$19.50

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CANERLESS, silver-plated frames, —.35; \$41.85

SILVER TRAY set — \$15.00

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ROYAL ENFIELD HCYCLE, strong and sturdy—made in England. Special — \$34.00

PINE SKIS, all sizes, from — \$1.25 to \$2.95

HOCKEY GLOVES — \$4.50; \$5.50

SLUGGERS, from — \$7.50 to \$12.25

LADIES' WRIST WATCHES, Mardon, \$12.50; \$17.50

Plain Wrist watches — each \$22.50; \$30.00

Le Roy Wrist Watch — \$25.00

TOILET SETS, 1847 Rogers — \$25.25; \$40.00; \$75.00

COMPLETE LINE OF TOYS FOR THE YOUNGER KIDNIES

Such as dolls, animals, games, washing machines, stoves, blocks, sewing sets, tricycles, doll carriages, wagons, wheelbarrows, scooters, table and chair sets, rocking chairs, black boards, doll cribs, and many beautiful toys sets, etc.

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A Dwindling Asset

Disconcerting, to say the least, are the latest official figures of automobile tourist traffic across the international boundary between the United States and Canada.

With agriculture in the doldrums the people in this country have been watching with approval and a measure of comfort the growth of the American tourist traffic in Canada, regarding it as a lusty young industry which gave promise of making up for some of the losses sustained by agriculture, if not immediately, at any rate in the near future.

The title of tourist traffic Canada-ward from the United States has been flowing strongly across the international border in recent years and has been growing with remarkable acceleration until the trade has assumed the rank of the second largest industry of this country.

While, of course, the major portion of this comparatively new industry has to date been enjoyed by the provinces of Ontario and Quebec in the east and British Columbia in the west, due principally to their geographic proximity to American centres of dense population, still the prairie provinces have been reaping a modicum of benefit and enjoying some measure of the increase until now.

The Wrong Direction

Now, however, it would appear that the pendulum is showing a marked tendency to swing the other way, since official figures for the month of September not only show a reduction of American tourist automobiles coming into Canada but an increase in the number of Canadian tourists going into the United States for periods long enough to place them in the tourist category.

In other words, the September figures demonstrate that the number of American visitors to this country, and hence the amount of money they are spending here is declining, while the number of Canadians who are spending their time and money in each of pleasure on the other side of the line is showing an upward trend.

The September figures show that in that month approximately 6,000 more Canadian cars were admitted into the United States "for touring purposes" than in the corresponding month of 1937, while a decrease of 23,158 in the number of American cars entering Canada for periods ranging from 48 hours to 60 days is recorded. The latter is a substantial figure when based on a total entry of 174,687 American cars for the month of September.

While over the Dominion as a whole American cars entering Canada outnumber Canadian tourist cars travelling southward by five to one, entries across the boundary along the prairie provinces, in either direction, are in balance on the wrong side, if the September figures are any criterion of the entire summer movement, and there is no reason to suppose they are not.

The figures show that during September a total of 4,476 Canadian tourist cars travelled southward, while only 4,617 northward. The latter figure, however, includes tourist automobiles passing through prairie customs ports, roughly a ratio of three to two on the wrong side of the economic ledger.

This appears strange enough when the figures demonstrate that for every two Americans spending money in the prairie provinces for gas and oil, meals and accommodation three prairie Canadians are spending cash for similar services in the United States, but that is not the whole story, for further statistics show that Canadians are spending considerable sums for the purchase of commodities in the United States and bringing them back under the \$100 duty exemption clause, selling a further loss to business on the Canadian prairie.

During the six months ending September 30, Canadian tourists returning to this country brought into Canada under the duty free clause merchandise valued at approximately \$5,000,000, while \$4,553,500 was spent in the States. Nearly half that amount went in clothing and a round half million cash was spent for household appliances and books and shoes. Another \$350,000 was exchanged for radios and nearly \$135,000 for auto tires, tubes and accessories with a further \$57,000 for miscellaneous commodities.

The Obvious Remedy

The cause for this situation is not far to seek, when a comparison is made between the condition of the highways in the prairie provinces during the past few years with those in the Western United States. It is not surprising to find that American tourists are increasing numbers decide to do their travelling on their own side of the boundary and that Canadians in the west in increasing numbers travel south to escape their own bad roads and travel over the much better highways which are to be found in the Western U.S.A. Add to this the incentive to save a little money or at least pay the cost of a two or three day pleasure trip on the savings made on one hundred dollars worth of purchases, and surprise that Western Canadians are crossing the border in increasing numbers and that Canadians in the west are increasing numbers travel south to escape their own bad roads and travel over the much better highways which are to be found in the Western U.S.A.

The obvious remedy, of course, is to rehabilitate the disintegrating highways in the prairie provinces and to build more, and perhaps some reduction in the tax on some of the taxpaying motor vehicles at a saving on the other side of the line to bring prices into closer parity, would help to restore the flow of tourist traffic from the south and stem the southward tide of Canadian tourists.

Had some of the \$120,000,000 which has been spent on relief been expended on roads, work would have been found for many who have been more or less idle for years and the taxpayers would have had at least a partially offsetting return for some of the expenditure.

Fremmen Had Alibi

Volunteer firemen did not respond No. 11 when the fire alarm sounded at Hart, Minn., on J. D. Laithe's house burned down. Town officials demanded an explanation. We thought the alarm sounded to mark Armistice Day," firemen shamefacedly replied.

Ten rabbits will eat as much grass and pasture as one sheep.

Scientist Discovers Probability Of Life On Sister Planets

Life probably once flourished on Mars but is "almost impossible" now, according to Dr. Spencer Jones, astronomer royal.

He said in a speech at Leeds, Eng. Venus was the only other planet at all likely to support life and even there it could only be a primitive form.

Speaking of Mars, the astronomer royal declared "Life probably flourished there millions of years ago but has been dried up by the atmosphere and has probably by now become almost impossible."

Atmosphere on Jupiter, a rocky planet about 22,000 miles in diameter—was so dense the pressure was equal to about 1,000,000 tons per square inch.

"We can't conceive that life can exist on such a surface at such a pressure," he said. No oxygen had been detected on Venus but there was an enormous quantity of carbon dioxide atmosphere. "Venus is a world," said Dr. Jones, "where life has probably not yet started or, if it has, exists only in very primitive form."

The Bible contains two chapters which are nearly alike, those of the 14th and 15th chapters of the book of Isaiah. They are the 14th chapter of H. Kings and the 37th chapter of Isaiah.

Japan has banned the production and distribution of electric fans and refrigerators except when needed for the essential industries.

Texas is inhabited by about 350 species of birds.

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1/2 tin, 12 tin 75¢ In a jolly Christmas Wrapper

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People In West Indies Eat Apples Only At Christmas

The Canadian male commissioner at Trinidad has been reporting on apple consumption in the West Indies. Apparently it is not very large. Total imports amounted to only \$35,016 last year, two-thirds of them coming from Canada.

British Columbia, since they were imported in barrels. The trade commissioner tells us that the West Indian people consume apples as a luxury and mostly at Christmas. The fruit is sold through "orchard" or negro women street vendors, who put down a deposit on a barrel and pay a little more daily as they withdraw the fruit.

The description of the method of sale is a reminder that it was from his apple business—selling cordons and apples from his barrow—that the English costermonger got his name. Vancouverites.

SELECTED RECIPES

PINEAPPLE DELIGHT

- 1 1/2 cups cream
- 3 cups pineapple, cut small
- 1/2 cup marshmallows, cut small
- 1/2 cup nuts, chopped
- 12 Christmas Social Tea Biscuits, crumbled

Beat cream and fold in pineapple, marshmallows, nut meats and two-thirds of the crumbled biscuits. Put mixture into six individual sherbet glasses and sprinkle with remaining crumbs.

FIFTY MAYONNAISE

- 1 egg
- 2 tablespoons Crown Brand Corn Syrup
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoons dry mustard
- 1/2 teaspoon paprika
- 1 cup vinegar
- 1 cup Mayonnaise
- 1 cup Benson's or Canada Corn Syrup

Method: Put the egg, Crown Brand Corn Syrup, seasonings, vinegar and Mayonnaise in a bowl but do not stir. Make a paste by mixing Corn Syrup with cold water, add boiling water. Cook until clear. This is better done in a top of double boiler but it is not necessary. Add the Corn Syrup mixture to ingredients in mixing bowl and beat with dough beater. It thickens and combines beautifully. (Yield 1 pint).

In some cases counterfeit money is Great Britain has been found to contain more silver than the money issued by the Royal Mint.

It is a mistake to eat all you can, spend all you have, tell all you know or show all you feel.

MUSCULAR PAINS—ACHES

It takes more than "just a salve" to bring relief. It takes "Muscular-Irritant" like good old Musculetone. Musculetone is a warming, stimulating, and helpful in quickly overcoming local congestion and pain when other liniments fail promptly.

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MUSCULETONE

Official Canadian experimental farms are trying to develop a perennial wheat in an effort to do away with the labor of sowing every year.

A certain fish found in the Great Barrier reef of Australia is armed with spikes which contain a deadly poison capable of killing human beings.

"How did George break his leg?" "Well, do you see those steps over there?" "Yes."

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Building Projects

Western Canada Showing Interest In Building Homes

Western Canada has shown considerable interest in building homes with the aid of the National Housing Act, according to J. Clark Kelly, secretary of the Canadian Construction Association, after a trip to the West coast.

"British Columbia is showing quite a bit of activity in housing," said Mr. Kelly in an interview. "The west coast province was slow to take advantage of the act, but now building is proceeding with ready cooperation from the insurance companies who are making the loans necessary for construction."

Considerable use of the Housing Act was being made on the Prairies, he said. Edmonton would vote shortly he understood, on a project for construction of a block of low-rent homes by the city. Civic housing projects also had been discussed in Winnipeg.

"Personally, I favor formation of private companies to erect and administer such housing projects," said Mr. Kelly.

Housing will form a main topic of discussion at the 21st annual convention of the Canadian Construction Association in Winnipeg next Jan. 10, 11 and 12, Mr. Kelly said.

DRESSMAKER HAD TO QUIT SEWING

Hands Swollen With Rheumatism

Pity this poor dressmaker! Ninety-nine of her work consisted of sewing—and she was not able to sew. The pain in her hands was her trouble, and she tried any number of remedies. But nothing helped her until she came to Kruschen.

"Three-and-a-half years ago," said Mrs. J. had a violent attack of rheumatic pains. My feet and hands were swollen. The pain was terrible. I was really quite crippled and helpless."

"I tried many remedies without success. I started on Kruschen Salt, and after one month I could stand up again. Then, I walked about again. The pain was terrible. I was really quite crippled and helpless."

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MY NOSE IS CLEAR ALREADY

AFTER THIS, USE IT SOONER AND HELP PREVENT MANY A COLD FROM COMING! Here's specialized medication for nose and upper throat—more colds start. Used at the first sniffle or sneeze—a few drops up each nostril—helps to prevent the development of many colds. Even when your nose is stopped up from a neglected cold.

Use Vicks Vapo-Rol in the morning and evening. It keeps your sinuses clear, soothes your throat, and helps you breathe again.

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GERMAN AND FRANCE SEEN TO MOVE FOR PEACE

Berchtesgaden, Germany.—Chancellor Hitler's approval of the proposed Franco-German peace declaration was seen in an announcement Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop probably would start "within the next few days" for war to end the agreement.

The announcement was made after a conference of the two leaders which followed receptions by Hitler of distinguished foreign guests, Oswald Pirow, minister of defence of South Africa, first, and then King Carol and Crown Prince Michael of Roumania.

Informed sources said the declaration would embrace three points:

1. A joint acknowledgment that peaceful and good neighborly relations between Germany and France constitute an essential element to the consolidation of Europe and maintenance of general world peace.

2. A statement of the effect no territorial issues exist between France and Germany of a nature likely to lead to conflict. Each country, it was said, will declare the other's boundaries are inviolable.

3. An agreement by both powers to enter upon joint deliberations in the International Committee of points of view concerning both.

Before he settled down with Von Ribbentrop for discussion of the proposed draft, Hitler conferred for an hour with Pirow and with King Carol for three hours.

Pirow's European trip, which so far has taken him to Portugal, Great Britain, and Germany, was described as an informal tour of the character for information. The South African minister, accompanied here by his wife, arrived in Berlin on the afternoon of the 15th. He was interpreted as being little more than courtesy call. It had become evident, meanwhile, that Pirow was not coming to talk about the colonial question.

Paris.—Great Britain and France affirmed publicly their complete accord on national defence and diplomatic collaboration "for the preservation and consolidation of peace."

Prime Minister Chamberlain and Premier Daladier, at close of conversations which followed the arrival here of Mr. Chamberlain and his foreign secretary, Viscount Halifax, read statements at which Chamberlain, in which each stressed total agreement on all subjects considered.

Neither mentioned detailed points on national defence, but joint diplomatic action for peace.

In his declaration, read to French and foreign newsmen, he said: "With us, national defence is one of the steps to be taken for preservation and conservation of peace in Europe."

Ceremony Was Simple

Three Kings Attended Funeral Rites For Norway's King

LONDON.—Three kings attended funeral rites for Queen Maud, of Norway, before the body was placed aboard a purple and black-draped train to begin the journey to Oslo.

King Haakon, of Norway, King George VI, and King George of Greece attended the simple ceremony in Marlborough house chapel.

Prebendary Laurence Percival, proctor of the Chapter House, conducted the service, assisted by the Bishop of Oslo. The coffin lay on a catafalque guarded by four non-commissioned officers of the brigade of guards.

To Help Jews

LONDON.—Lord Baldwin is planning a nation-wide appeal by radio "on Dec. 7 in an effort to raise a national fund which will assist German Jewish refugees to find homes in other parts of the world. The appeal, it is announced, will be made in behalf of the Church of England, the Roman Catholic Church, all Free Churches, and the Jews themselves.

Endorses Chamberlain Policy

LONDON.—Michael Marwar resigned as a member of the Labor party as a sign of his approval of Prime Minister Chamberlain's foreign policy. Marwar, former Labor member of parliament and member of the party for 20 years, announced he would join the National Labor party, founded in 1931 by the late Ramsay MacDonald.

Havens For Refugees

Fertile Lands In South America Awaiting Development

Washington.—Proposed havens for Jewish refugees in Africa and South America were described by the National Geographic Society as generally productive and fertile lands awaiting economic development.

British Guiana, one of the principal countries mentioned, is at a possible new home for Jews, is larger than England, Scotland and Wales combined. It has a population of only about two persons per square mile.

Although more than 2,000,000 ounces of gold and 2,000,000 carats of diamonds have been brought out of British Guiana's jungle hinterland, the Geographic society said, reported deposits of manganese, iron and mica have been almost untouched because river traffic is difficult.

The former German colony of Tanganyika in East Africa, now governed by Great Britain, has also been suggested as a refuge.

Tanganyika's 360,000 square miles of territory support profitable lumber and agricultural operations. Sisal, cotton, coffee, nuts and grain are grown on the country's major rivers.

Kenya, north of Tanganyika, also offers opportunities for settlers. It has a population of about 1,000,000 and is a land of excellent farm lands.

South Rhodesia, mentioned as another possible refuge, occupies most of the central plateau of Africa. Mineral resources—copper, lead, zinc, and chrome—have been developed there and the colony has attracted only about 10,000 white men.

To Aid Humanity

Viscount Nuffield To Provide Iron Lung For British War Hospitals

LONDON.—Viscount Nuffield, motor maker and philanthropist, announced he had decided to donate every hospital in the British Empire with an "iron lung."

He said he would donate about 5,000 of the respirators at a total cost of about \$500,000 (\$250,000 more than the initial production of 1,000 machines already was under way).

It was believed this latest benefaction of Lord Nuffield, who has given away \$8,000,000 in the last two years, was prompted by recent outbreaks of influenza in Great Britain.

Lord Nuffield said "I am commencing with 1,000 and will continue their manufacture until every hospital in the Empire to which might reasonably be expected to use a respirator with advantage will be in the possession of one."

Asked about the outlying districts of Canada and Australia, Lord Nuffield said "I am not sure I can present some difficulty but 'if they want one they must have one.'"

Where electricity is not available the lung may be operated by hand, he added.

Utilities Commission

Bill Introduced In B.C. Legislation To Regulate Various Activities

VICTORIA.—Premier T. D. Pattullo introduced in the British Columbia legislature a bill which would authorize the government to set up a three-man public utilities commission to regulate various utilities "subject to the legislative authority of the province."

The bill would give the board authority to control persons or companies which operate railways, street railways, tramways, ferries, toll bridges, telephone and telegraph companies (where such service is offered to the public for compensation), electric and power plants, furnishing water to the public, and buses and trucks as public conveyances.

The bill would omit operation of a taxicab by an individual from classification as a public utility.

Proposed Standard Time

Memory Of Sir Sanford Fleming Honored In Toronto

Toronto.—(Rial) was announced Sir Sanford Fleming presented to the Canadian Institute a paper outlining his proposal to place the world on a basis of universal time. On Nov. 23 a unique ceremony commemorated the diamond jubilee of this historic event and with it was honored the memory of the great Scots-Canadian who undertook to regulate the clocks and, therefore, the business of the world.

Conference On Palestine

LONDON.—Malcolm MacDonald told the House of Commons invitations have been issued for a conference on Palestine and was confronted with a suggestion from Geoffrey Mander, opposition Liberal, that the United States be asked to participate.

NEWS REEL IS SUPPRESSED IN PEACE INTEREST

LONDON.—Sir John Simon, chancellor of the exchequer, told the House of Commons the British government acted in conjunction with United States Ambassador Joseph Kennedy to suppress a newsreel which the government considered might have had a "prejudicial effect" during the Czecho-Slovak crisis.

Under opposition questioning, Sir John said his government believed the newsreel would have hampered Prime Minister Chamberlain in his conference with Chancellor Hitler at Godesberg on the Rhine late in September.

Geoffrey Mander, Liberal, had asked why "representations had been made by His Majesty's government to the American embassy for withdrawal from a Paramount newsreel of items contributed by Mr. Wickham Steed and Mr. A. J. Cummings."

The chancellor did not say specifically that the government had approached Kennedy on the matter, but he declared "the ambassador of the United States, I understand, thought it right to communicate this to a member of the Hays organization" and thereafter "certain excisions" were made from the newsreel.

The reference was to the office of Will Hays, president of the Motion Picture Producers-Distributors of America.

Informed of Simon's statement, Mr. Mander personally took the government's request to the Hays office but "it is inaccurate to give the impression I personally took any action" after he reflected the matter to be changed. He said he "didn't even know the Hays office had taken any action" after he reflected the matter to be changed.

Amid opposition cries of "government censorship" and "a return to tyranny," Sir John paid tribute to Mr. Kennedy.

"His Majesty's government are grateful to the ambassador of the United States and I am glad to think that the ambassador of the United States and ourselves were in complete accord."

He denied there was anything "compulsory" in the government's action.

He said the United States ambassador "thought it right to take action tending to promote European peace."

The Paramount organization received Sir John's praise for their "sense of public duty" in making excisions from the newsreel, a commentary on the Czecho-Slovak crisis, including statements by Wickham Steed, a foreign affairs writer, formerly editor of the Times, and A. J. Cummings, chief political writer for the News Chronicle (Liberal).

Cost Of Mobilizing Fleet

LONDON.—The cost of mobilizing the fleet during the September crisis, apart from measures which would have to be taken ultimately to meet the events, was slightly less than \$1,000,000 (\$500,000), the House of Commons was told.

Density In Canada

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LADY POLICE ON DUTY IN CHINA



GETS NEW POST

In Paris Hotel

Regisador H. F. H. Hertelberg, C.M.G. D.S.O. M.C., who has been appointed Quartermaster-General of His Majesty's Canadian Army at National Defence Headquarters in Ottawa.

Confers With Windsor

Prime Minister Chamberlain Meets Duke

Paris. Prime Minister Chamberlain and the Duke of Windsor conferred here on what informed British sources said were plans for the former king to return to England with his wife.

The meeting was the first between the duke and a prime minister of Great Britain since he had a last talk with Earl Baldwin, then prime minister, shortly before abdicating Dec. 10, 1936.

Almost without notice the prime minister, here for talks on defense plans with French statesmen, went to the duke's hotel for a 20-minute conversation. His companion was Foreign Secretary Halifax.

Afterwards Mr. Chamberlain came downstairs with a smile. Lord Halifax kept his usual stolid mien.

Sources close to the duke indicated the prime minister's visit was another step in negotiations over the Duke of Gloucester, on Nov. 11.

At that time it was reported the Duke and Duchess of Windsor were looking forward to Christmas in England, perhaps at the traditional royal family reunion at Sandringham.

New Locomotive

Heaviest And Most Powerful In The British Empire

Montreal.—The supreme achievement of steam locomotive design in Canada, one of the 10 new Selkirk locomotives built this year for the Canadian Pacific Railway was put on public exhibition here.

This locomotive was designed by H. B. Bowen, chief of motive power and rolling stock, Canadian Pacific Railway, especially for service in the Canadian Rockies and is the heaviest and most powerful doing duty in the British empire.

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Chance For Women Writers

Prize Offered For Best Short Story Written By Canadian

Toronto.—The members' memorial award of the Canadian Women's Press Club will be given next year for the best short fiction story by a woman resident of Canada, the club's national executive decided here.

The award, a gold medal and \$25, will be given for material published within the 12 months ending March 15, 1937. The executive appointed W. H. M. Stokess, Niagara Falls Ont., chairman of a committee to survey the types of newspaper work being done by women in Canada.

National president, H. L. Shaw, Montreal, in response to an invitation from the Canadian action of the Empress Press Union, was named the club's representative on the committee preparing for the imperial conference of the I.P.U. to be held in Canada in 1938.

Honor For Artists

Toronto. Four To Receive High Award

The Royal Canadian Academy of Art at its annual meeting, elected four to receive the highest honor, the Gold Medal, for the year 1936.

The four winners are: William Law, 70-year-old Toronto sculptor, makes her fourth woman to receive full academian status in the 58-year history of the R.C.A. Twelve of her works are in the National gallery at Ottawa. She is a native of Trenton, N.J.

Others given an academician award are Frank Carmichael, Toronto painter, who was born at Orillia, Ont.; William Lewis, 54-year-old architect, and Alphonse Jones, Montreal portrait painter. Somerville is a native of Hamilton.

A HEAVY NAZI LEVY PLACED ON JEWISH FORTUNES

Berlin. A Nazi levy of 20 per cent on Jewish fortunes above \$2,000,000 has been announced by the government.

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FRANCE TAKES PROMPT ACTION TO END STRIKE

Paris.—Mobile guards battled strikers occupying the Renault automobile works in an outbreak occurring, paying a wave of strikes which, at the peak, involved more than 74,000 workers.

Dozens were injured on both sides and much of the Paris factory's machinery reported wrecked before the Renault strikers, estimated to number 10,000, left the plant.

Premier Daladier assumed complete control of measures to combat the strikes called in opposition to the government's decree law for lengthening the 40-hour work week. He ordered 4,000 railroad employees at Valenciennes into military service and told police to clear important Paris factories.

At the Renault plant the strikers had barricaded themselves inside the works and harnessed their strength with armored cars and tanks manufactured by the plant.

The guards, commanded by police prefect Roger Langereur, charged through back entrances after hurling gas bombs through windows. Strikers fired tear gas and developed with strikers using wrenches and hammers to combat blows of rifle.

More than a dozen policemen and workers were injured. More than 300 arrests were made.

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Devastating Fire

Palatial Homes Of Movie Stars Hazed Near Santa Monica

Los Angeles.—Forest fire, worst in the history of southern California, swept out of control on widely separated fronts in three counties, leaving heavy damage and possibly thousands of people homeless in the San Bernardino mountains.

Palatial homes of prominent motion picture stars in the San Bernardino mountains, which fingered out for a 45-mile wind from four fronts, threatening heavily populated communities cut off from communication.

More than 1,000 fire fighters were in the area, but the fire, which broke through brush and timber carried the flames over hundreds of homes.

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Inventor Of Submarine

Sees Day When It Will Be Used For Commercial Purposes

Simon Lake, the man who invented the submarine, drove south this winter from Milford, Conn., in his latest "submarine automobile".

The queer-looking contraption, as strange appearing as some of the Lake's first undersea boats, awaited its skipper, driver, or pilot at a wharf in Bridgeport, Conn., not far from the scenes of a day when the Lake Torpedo Boat Company was making its first for fame.

Mr. Lake, who asserts he never invented the submarine as an instrument of war, anyway, still looks forward to the time when such craft will serve useful, peacetime employment. He sees them employed for commercial purposes, for locating and recovering sunken ships and their cargoes; for recovering the natural products of the sea, the edible shrimps, pearl-bearing mollusks, and sponges; for locating oil, gold, or other minerals beneath the beds of rivers, lakes and oceans; and lastly, cargo-carrying submarines which can shorten trade routes by using passages through the Arctic and Channel.

The "submarine automobile" operates with a crew of four but requires a "mother ship" to accompany it on the surface. The inventor plans to have a sailing vessel, the "Mammoth", equipped with auxiliary Diesel power for this purpose.

Thus it will not be necessary to carry large batteries nor oxygen-demanding engines to run the submarine craft and its generators. Electric power will come from the "mother ship" in the mother ship, the electric current flowing to the craft below by a long cable. Location, too, on the ocean floor is achieved through a screw-type propeller and two steerable wheels, one fore and one aft. Several "portholes" are provided in different parts of the craft for undersea observation and photography.

With him this winter, Mr. Lake expects to have a group of 20 or 25 persons interested in studying the ocean bottom in the vicinity of Florida and the Bahamas. Many will be natural scientists, for the number of research problems, for the number with this part of the ocean are legion. Headquarters will be established on board the mother ship while the undersea "automobile" will be used for observations.

In many parts of the world oil fields reach into the sea and wells can be seen with their derricks partly submerged. Just as much of the petroleum-bearing country of the United States now above the sea was once beneath it, so Mr. Lake believes there is still vast petroleum wealth even on our Continental shelf.

He sees a time when "have-nots" might tap such fields beyond the three-mile limit, if America does not beat them to it.

Mr. Lake has just been granted another patent (number 1,487,000) for a rescue device or for salvaging operations.

Fits On Sewing Machine

Simple Device For Sharpening Needles Has Been Invented

When there are potatoes to be peeled and the kitchen knife is impossibly dull, the housewife of tomorrow will go to her sewing machine to sharpen it. For Fred Matt-tison, of Long Island, New York, has invented a device for sharpening and grinding household instruments, and the device fits on the sewing machine.

The apparatus rotates with the sewing machine's flywheel. It has claws which fit over the switch of the machine bulb and remove and interchange rings which have different grades of emery and carborundum for rough or fine sharpening.

Mr. Matt-tison claims the device is simple, inexpensive, easily attached and worked, and in general, good.

Some Other Things

A Russian farmer claims to be 145 years old, and says he "recovers" her Napoleon's retreat from Moscow in 1812. Then he can also remember probably when Napoleon was in their seats in street cars to ladies, when people went to a dance to dance, and when television went to fishing grounds to fish.

Since the organization of the ice patrol, after the sinking of the Titanic in 1912, not a single fatality has resulted from icebergs.

With the coming of spring, the camel's hair forms into matted tufts, and falls to the ground as the growth of new hair comes in.

Sparrows make up 1-7 of all the birds of North America.

Starts On Peace Cruise

Capitaled By Boston Man Yawl Will Visit All Supports

Carrying a "yawl" crew of three, the 34-foot yawl *Leak* left Boston recently on a "peace cruise" around the world.

Built by her captain and owner, a little old man known only as "Mr. Chips", the *Leak*, will spread the gospel of peace to the seaports of the earth, rather than the lecture halls of metropolitan centers.

Although Mr. Chips refuses to divulge his real name, enough of his past history has been learned to place him among those mortals that just fall into adventure. The other two members of the crew remain anonymous. All that can be learned of them is that they are Greater Boston youths.

The adventures of Mr. Chips, for the most part, have to do with war which is probably the chief reason for his wanting to round out his life preaching peace to a conflict-torn world.

Born on the Russian steppes, he saw service as a lieutenant in the Russian navy during the Russo-Japanese war. When the revolution broke out, Chips was forced to flee to active life.

During the world war he served under the flag of nine countries. Four times he was master of the Russian navy during the Russo-Japanese war. At other times he served as ship's carpenter, whence he derived his present moniker.

The *Leak* will carry 24,000 postcards bearing a peace symbol which will be mailed from all ports of call in the name of Mr. Chips in Boston and vicinity.

The cruise will take at least three years, depending entirely on the wind as the yawl has no motor.

Devoted To Poetess

Anonymous Visitor Takes Violent Every Night To Shrine In

A little bouquet of violets is placed by a mysterious visitor every night on the shrine of the beautiful marquis, who died in 1892, in the famous French poetess, Comtesse de Noailles, who died five years ago. The shrine is in the garden and is carefully guarded, only the old gardener, who is in charge of their votive temple, knows his identity. But a touching legend has sprung up around the midnight rendezvous with the dead poetess, a legend of love and devotion lasting beyond the grave.

The little Grecian temple stands in an old garden on the banks of the lake Leman, at Evian-les-Bains, the favorite summer residence of the Comtesse. It has been built by her admirers, but it is said that the initiative and the greater part of the funds came from the mysterious night visitor of the shrine.

The temple was formally dedicated recently, many thousands attending the simple ceremony.

Left Pool To Crocodile

A crocodile in the Daning Zoo felt the effects of heat, escaped from its cage and joined a party of bathers in a nearby swimming pool. In two minutes the crocodile had the pool to itself. It swam about for some time, but was later enticed to the side of the pool, recaptured and taken back to his cell.

According to some eye specialists, within the next 50 years eight out of every 10 persons will be wearing spectacles.

Women's dresses are being made in England of spun aluminum as fine and soft as silk.

Most cud-chewing animals get up rear feet first, while almost all others get up fore feet first.

Mr. Charles Ruggles, the screen comedian, begins the attack with a butcher knife in one hand, a heavy, two-pronged fork in the other, and a sad look in his eyes. After the first few minutes of caricature, Mr. Ruggles has sliced off a piece of white meat and is about to rip apart the bird.

The job turns out to be tougher than expected. The turkey has oozed off on to the clean tablecloth, splattering the juice hotter and on.

Mr. Ruggles, bewildered, holds up a drumstick in victory. Well, it isn't everyone who can carve a turkey, says Mr. Ruggles, who seems to have made a mess of the whole thing. He'll take a ham sandwich, if you don't mind.

BATTLE HONOURS OF H.M.S. REPULSE



The battleship "Repulse", upon which King George and Queen Elizabeth are to travel to Canada next summer has many famous predecessors of the same name. The deeds of the various fighting ships bearing that name are commemorated in the "honours" displayed below the bridge.

Drouth-Resistant Grass

New Siberian Strain Produces Thick Crop Of Fine Hay

Development of a hardy, "marvelous" new strain of drouth-resistant Siberian grass will result in reclamation of all abandoned drouth-stricken lands in western Canada. L. E. Kirk, dean of the college of agriculture, University of Saskatchewan, said.

"It means that all abandoned land will be reclaimed," he added. That land now subject to soil drifting, and that should never have been broken in ranch country, will be brought back into production again.

The new grass, which produces a thick crop of fine hay and has an exceptional ability to add fibre to the soil, is "hardy and tenacious almost beyond our first dreams." Several strains were imported from different sections of Siberia and cross-bred to suit Canadian conditions.

Thousands of acres of abandoned land in the west have become covered with weeds, mostly Russian thistle and "murdock," Dr. Kirk said. "We now see the need right among the weeds—right in the midst of the worst growth—and it not only grows there, but chokes out all the weeds."

Two million pounds of seed will be available for next spring.

Hopper Campaign

United States To Spend Large Sum Of Money In 1939

Men on the front line of the United States battle against grasshoppers recommended increased control measures for 1939 and an extension of the program to a permanent basis.

A conference of state hopper control leaders suggested a \$5,000,000 congressional appropriation for the 1939 campaign, more than double the \$2,125,000 spent this year. The regional grasshopper control committee, representing 25 infested states from Michigan to the west coast, boosted its estimates of poison bait needed from 178,411 tons, the 1938 estimate, to 206,242 tons for 1939.

Formerly paid baiting crews, "using airplanes and power-spraying machines, where necessary," were recommended by the regional group, and federal entomology officials attending the conference indicated such a campaign is planned.

More Synthetic Products

Carpet Being Made In Germany From Human Hair

Germany is leaving no head of hair uncut in her efforts to utilize valuable waste materials in the production of synthetic products. Hair cut from customers' heads is being swept up from the floor, and after treatment, used in the manufacture of carpets and felt. Up till now, only hairs over one third of an inch have been utilized commercially, but Germany has discovered how to use the very shortest. She hopes to collect and use about 200 tons of men's hair every year.

Women's long hair, regularly used for making wigs and hair-sets, will be reserved for more important commercial purposes from now on—Till-Bits.

Mystery Cleared Up

Fate Of Ducks Solved By South African Farmer

A farmer at Van Reenen, South Africa, was mystified by the disappearance of his ducks from their pond, or their pen. He therefore set two Kaffir boys on the task of keeping watch on the flock, especially when they left the pen. Soon one of the boys came running to tell him that while the ducks were swimming one of them disappeared. The farmer raked the pond and recovered the partly eaten bird.

Next day he himself kept watch with a loaded gun and after several hours he saw a duckling sink. He promptly fired and dead crab came to the surface. Since then the pond has been cleaned and the farmer expects to raise ducks successfully.

So that it should not be crowded out by its own seedlings, the crocodile bush drops its seed and then spreads a poison that slows up germination on them.

Butler is used to caulk the round nautica used by the Tibetans.

Rice hulls are used in the manufacture of artificial silk.

London police recover 99 out of every 100 automobiles stolen.

Success Reported

Minister Satisfied With His Reverend Collection Plate Idea

The collection plate of the First Methodist church in Walton, N.Y., which its pastor, the Rev. Grand Robinson, recently "passed in review," has already started to pay dividends, he reported.

His idea, which he carried out on Oct. 30, was to give each member of the congregation \$1 with the stipulation that it be invested and the profits, with the original sum, to be returned to the church. While members of the congregation used the dollars to buy nuts and vegetables which they sold to town people at a profit, offers from people in widely scattered sections of the nation, all anxious to aid the church, were received.

Mr. Robinson said that an Oregon stamp collector suggested that Walton merchants take commemorative stamps from letters and sell them to him at a small profit which would go to the church.

Importance Of Curiosity

To Get Into Mind Of Tame Pigeons

McGill Professor Places Value On Thirst For Knowledge

Prof. W. H. Hatcher, of McGill University, says the curriculum of Canadian schools should be revised to make use of the "lively curiosity of youth."

The professor's statement provokes a suggestion that after certain fundamental tools, such as an elementary knowledge of reading, writing, mathematics and history, have been acquired, curiosity either natural or induced, becomes the foundation of all education which is genuine.

Thirst for knowledge and understanding must precede culture and perspective.

Red tennis balls often are used to ward the end of a late afternoon match since they possess greater visibility in the dusk.

England's smallest school, with two rooms and three pupils, in Boston, is to be closed.

Turkey has constructed 1,910 miles of railway and 75 bridges since 1925.

Little Bit Of Canada

Canadian Club In New York Housed In Waldorf Astoria

There's a "little bit of Canada" nestling down in New York among the tall jacks of Gotham, and what a luxurious little bit it is, says the Toronto Globe and Mail staff writer, Macpherson. "A bit of Canada" is located high up in the Waldorf Astoria on Park Avenue.

No matter how aloof your typical "Noo Yawver" may be, the word Canadian means something around the Waldorf. From the doorman with his general's uniform to the bellhop with his super-polished buttons, the word "Canadian" stands for more than mounted police and fur traders and French-Canadian habitants.

In the centre of the hotel, the Canadian Club occupies large areas of both the eighteenth and nineteenth floors, as well as part of the roof garden.

It's small—from a membership point of view—and exclusive. The associates, of which there are about 60 in Toronto alone—is only 600.

To begin at the beginning, you get on an elevator and go up to the eighteenth almost before you have time to call your floor. When you step out you put your foot on Canada. You can't miss feeling that you're walking into Canada, because there are rugs under your feet about the size of the King of the Maple Leaf and the Beaver.

When you wander into the dining room, which seats 250 persons, you see the coats-of-arms of all the provinces of the Dominion, blue and gold, and scarlet and green, designed in relief upon the panels. Immediately you begin to feel that Canada is a prosperous and dignified country.

A member of the Canadian Club of New York, should be a non-resident dropping in on a resident hiding out of the country. He is allowed 20 bedrooms on the nineteenth floor. If he wishes to play billiards or cards, there are several billiard rooms in which he may enjoy himself.

The Canadian Club moved into the Waldorf Astoria in 1911, when the palatial hotel was first opened to the public. It is one customer the Waldorf not worry about skipping out the back door without paying his bill. The club has taken a 21-year lease of its quarters and if you think that doesn't mean a pile of greenbacks just take a room there, multiply it by two floors and 21 years.

Reducing Public Nuisance

London County Council Would Like To Get Into Mind Of Tame Pigeons

In many large cities it is a peculiar fact that in the very busiest part there are large numbers of tame pigeons which belong to anybody and which make themselves at home inside the feet of the pedestrians. They quarrel and if you think that doesn't mean a pile of greenbacks just take a room there, multiply it by two floors and 21 years.

The London County Council has decreed that the pigeons are becoming a public nuisance and a danger to health. They get so much food that they are sleek and fat, and their numbers are multiplying beyond reason. Every winter about one-third are trapped and quietly disposed of.

It is estimated that in Trafalgar Square there are 1,500 birds which nest in Canada House, the C.P.T. office and adjacent buildings. The pigeons would have a poor living if an interested and anxious public did not feed them to the point of surfeit, and the first step toward compelling them to "move on" is to ask the people to stop feeding them.

As there is no law against it that will be a difficult thing to do. The birds have so long been a source of entertainment that the public, especially children, will not willingly see the birds forced out.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Old Songs Banned

One of Germany's best known folk songs, Lorelei, has been banned by the Nazi education department because the words were written by a Jew, Heinrich Heine. The department classified verse others as "songs to do without, including Mendelssohn's 'I Raise Mine Eyes Unto the Stars'."

There are no icebergs in the northern Pacific ocean.

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"Water, I've been sitting here
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Bring me something to sober me up."
"Yes, sir, I have your bill right
here, sir."

TOWN & COUNTY
Personalographs

Aaron Klass, manager of the Car-
bon store of the Builders Hardware
was a business visitor to Calgary last
Thursday.

Pupils of Miss Lacombe's room had
a three-day holiday last week due to
the illness of the teacher. Miss La-
combe is now back on duty and classes
have once more been resumed.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Pernann
on Monday, November 20, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Harney were Cal-
gary visitors Saturday.

Dick Gimbel has completed the con-
struction of a snow plot for the Mu-
nicipal District of Carbon, and an at-
tempt will be made this winter to keep
some of the country roads open.

Hockey games are once more the
attraction and a number of Carbon
fans attended the first game in Drum-
heller last Wednesday when the Min-
ers defeated the Calgary Stampede.

Miss Marjorie Lettich left last Wed-
nesday for Calgary where she will
take up a course in beauty culture.

The ladies aid of the United church
held a successful bazaar in the Farm-
ers' Exchange hall on Saturday. In
the drawing Irvin Mortimer won the
doll and Mrs. Holshaw the doll basin
ette.

The Carbon Auto Service is col-
lecting nickels for the Texaco Nickel
club, and anyone interested can make
their donation at this place of busi-
ness.

Const. W.B. Shaw, who has been
stationed at Carbon for the past two
years, has been transferred to Brooks.

Mrs. Robertson and daughter re-
turned Sunday from Three Hills where
she was visiting with her parents.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Davis.

The sermon topic at the Carbon
United Church on Sunday, December
11th, will be: "Some Paths That Lead
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"Throwing you out?"

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The average husband does not criticise
his wife's clothes too freely. No,
he just makes allowance for them.

Life is just an everlasting struggle to
keep money in and teeth and hair
and vital organs from coming out.

Some girls find that there are many
laps in the race for the altar.

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to give me a pair of panties for the
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Lingerie Clerk: What size is the
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